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Method and Apparatus for Transferring and

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the application consisting of:

- a. a specification containing:
 - i. 14 pages of description prior to the claims;
 - ii. <u>7</u> pages of claims (42 claims); and
 - iii. a one (1) page abstract;
- b. 8 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-8); and
- c. an Application Data Sheet;
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